

REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register: 24 March 1998
Name of applicant/court: Comptroller of Customs
Applicant to the Labelling Body: Not Applicable
Title of Publication: Sailor, Lingerie & More
Other Known Titles: Not Stated
Director: Not Applicable
Producer: Not Applicable
Publisher: Not Stated
Author: Not Stated
Format: Book
Country of Origin: Japan
Languages: Japanese and English

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Components of film originally examined: Not Applicable.

Feature:	Running time:
Trailers:	Running time:
	Total Running time:

Excision/Alteration: Not Applicable.

Reason(s) for Excision:

Not Applicable.

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Classification Decision:

Objectionable.

Display Conditions:

Not Applicable.

Descriptive Note:

Not Applicable.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on: Not Applicable.

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SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:

The book entitled *Sailor, Lingerie & More* is classified as:
Objectionable.

The book promotes and supports the exploitation of young persons for sexual purposes. The book promotes and supports the exploitation of young persons for sexual purposes through photographs of young girls which form a narrative striptease and through more explicit images of naked young girls, some with their buttocks and breasts grabbed by male hands. The text contains stories credited to young school girls under 17 years of age who describe their sexual experience and willingness to engage in further sexual activity. The photographs and text are presented in a format which is intended to sexually arouse the reader.

Section 14 of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 (NZBR Act) has been considered in relation to this book. However, s14 does not apply to this publication because it has been determined that s3(2) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993 applies. This provision overrides the NZBR Act because it is a deeming provision which cannot be given a meaning that is consistent with the rights and freedoms of the NZBR Act.

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